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For: Control Technique For a Communication System

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LETTER SUBMITTING DOCUMENTS
FOR COMPLETION OF AN APPLICATION
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f)

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

October 2, 2000 (Monday)

Sir:

The application papers for the above-identified application were originally filed on May 24, 2000 and the application was assigned Serial No. 09/576,999.

X Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.41(c) and 1.53(f), attached hereto is the executed Declaration of the inventor(s) (X original ___ photocopy), necessary for completing the filing requirements in connection with the above-identified application.

___ Under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.41(c) and 1.53(f), attached hereto is the executed Declaration which was attached to the specification at the time of execution. The attached specification is a true copy of the specification which was filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark office on _____, including any amendments thereto (if applicable) filed on even date therewith.

____ The undersigned hereby declares that "Attorney Docket No. _____" on page 1 of the inventors' Declaration, filed on _____, corresponds to Application Serial No. _____ filed _____ entitled "_____

_____".

____ Attached are _____ sheet(s) of formal drawings.

X Attached is a copy of Form PTO-1533.

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____ Attached hereto is the Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status (____ original ____ photocopy).

X Submitted concurrently herewith **under separate cover** for recording is an Assignment.

If necessary, applicant hereby respectfully petitions for an extension of time for the filing of the present paper in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 and 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. The required fee of \$_____ is attached hereto.

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X Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-2325 in the amount of \$130.00. A triplicate copy of this transmittal form is enclosed.

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

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